UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

EMILY C. DONAHUE,

Plaintiff,

ORDER 1:24-cv-01292-GRJ

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COMMISSIONER OF SOCIAL SECURITY,

Defendant.

GARY R. JONES, United States Magistrate Judge:

Pending before the Court is the parties' Stipulation for Allowance of Fees under the Equal Access to Justice Act and Costs Under 28 U.S.C. § 1920. (Docket No. 23.) The parties have stipulated that Plaintiff should be awarded seven thousand two hundred sixty-four dollars and fifty-six cents (\$7,264.56) in attorney's fees, and costs in the amount of four hundred and five dollars \$405.00.

Upon due consideration, it is **ORDERED**:

1. Plaintiff is awarded attorney's fees in the amount of \$7,264.56, under the EAJA. The payment of attorney's fees is subject to any offsetting debt owed by the Plaintiff to the United States. Before the Commissioner shall be obligated to pay the EAJA fees and costs, the Commissioner must

determine whether Plaintiff owes a debt to the government. In the event the United States Department of the Treasury determines that Plaintiff does not owe a federal debt, the Commissioner must then pay the fees and expenses directly to Plaintiff's counsel.

- 2. Plaintiff is awarded costs in the sum of \$405.00, which costs shall be payable from the judgment fund administered by the United States Department of Treasury.
- 3. The Clerk is directed to terminate as pending motions, Plaintiff's Motions for Attorney's Fees. (Docket Nos. 18 & 20.)

Dated: January 3, 2025

GARY R. JONES

United States Magistrate Judge